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COMPONENTS PRESENT IN
CASHEW NUT SHELL LIQUID

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Dear Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Official Action mailed December 20, 2003 (paper no. 8). In light of the accompanying Fee (deposit account authorization) and Request for Extension of Time, this response is timely filed.

Amendment

In the claims:

Please cancel claim 22 and amend claim 29 to correct the typographic error wherein "claim 28" was typed as "claim 289."

29. A composite according to claim 28, wherein the solvent is ethanol.